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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. P. Co. Council Bluffs Lumber Co., coal. Crafts' chattel loans, 204 Sapp block.

If you want water in your yard or house go to Hixby's, 302 Merriam block.

J. K. Emmet will produce "Fitz" at the Broadway theater September 21.

C. M. Gahand and May Conrad, both of Council Bluffs, were married yesterday by Justice Hamner.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to James Burns and Nellie La Chapelle, both of this county.

A plat of Myrator Place was filed by Mrs. Maria Myrator in the office of the county recorder yesterday.

John Maher will have a hearing in police court this morning on the charge of assault with intent to kill.

The Klans Literary society held its first meeting of the season last evening at the residence of Miss Edith Reynolds on North Eighth street.

The city council has awarded the contract for the furnishing of coal during the coming year to the Carbon Coal company at \$5.54 for hard coal and \$5.57 for soft.

The Married Ladies' Social society will have a sale of cakes today at Badollet's grocery store. They have a large variety to dispose of. The proceeds are to be used for charitable purposes.

A man in a distressing state of intoxication fell into the grasp of Officer Kelly yesterday forenoon. He was arrested at the police station as Prof. J. I. Kittell and said he came from Missouri Valley.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance union the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Stoddard; secretary, Mrs. Baubler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mercer; treasurer, Mrs. Hoover.

A union mass meeting will be held in the First Presbyterian church tomorrow evening in the interest of Sunday school work.

The county missionary will read his report of work done during the last four years. J. L. Dunn, general missionary for Iowa, will also deliver an address, giving some of his experiences in missionary work.

Last night's rain storm was accompanied by a vivid flash of lightning that caused something of a commotion among nervous people. So far as could be learned it did no damage to speak of, its worst freak being the burning out of a fuse in the electric light power house, so that the power had to be shut down until the storm was over.

The same flash struck a telephone wire and threw every drop in one of the switch boards at the central station.

Small in size, great in results: DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Best pill for constipation, but for indigestion, but for sour stomach.

Are you going to buy a site for a home soon? You will not buy, of course, without visiting Morningside. If you should conclude, as many others have, that Morningside is where you want to live, then you will probably find some lot or site that suits you a little better than any other now in an addition like Morningside, where improvements are being made rapidly, and lots selling. When you see a site you had better take it in. You can buy on monthly payments and cheaper than you can next year.

School hats from 25c up at the Louis' Masonic block.

Frank Trimble, atty, Baldwin blk, tel 303

Morningside. City water in front of every lot in this addition.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. W. C. Unthank has returned from a trip to Chicago.

P. Tyrell, ticket auditor of the Milwaukee road, was in the city yesterday.

Marshal Tompkins returned last evening from Des Moines, where he went to get a reputation from the police for George Smith, the darkey who is lying in the Omaha jail on a charge of criminal assault. He leaves today for Lincoln, where he will have an interview with Mayor of Nebraska on the same subject.

The Latest Conundrum. Why is Haller's Sarsaparilla and Burdock like the most popular soap of the day. Because they both cleanse the skin and leave it both soft and velvety.

No Fake, But a Fact. We have determined to close out our business in Council Bluffs. Our time is limited, and we have marked down prices so low that goods will sell themselves in a hurry and thus clear out our immense establishment.

We will sell furniture, carpets, cooking and heating stoves, crockery, glassware, hardware, curtains, all sorts of housekeeping goods, for nearly one-half the usual prices. Nothing reserved. Everything must go, cost or no cost. The stock is complete. First come, first served. Money not credited to us must call and settle promptly, and save costs, as we can show no partiality. Mandel & Klein, 320 Broadway.

Morningside. The addition of two public parks.

Delay Proved Dangerous. A serious if not fatal accident was narrowly averted yesterday forenoon. Mrs. C. T. Officer was crossing Fourth street on Broadway, when the patrol wagon came down the street at a lively pace. It was fairly upon Mrs. Officer before she realized her danger and even then her attention was only attracted by the screams of a couple of ladies who were standing near by. She looked around and saw the wagon, but was so confused that for an instant she did not know which way to go. She at last made a bee-line for the other side of the street and as she did so the wagon passed by, just grazing her. The driver of the wagon had seen her all the time, but he supposed she would get out of the way sooner than she did and so made no effort to pull up his horses. He tried to guide them, however, so that they would not strike her, and in so doing he ran into an express wagon that stood at the corner and rubbed several square inches of bright new paint off the wheels of his wagon. The furious driver at which the patrol wagon runs along the main business streets has been the occasion of much comment, and surprise is expressed that accidents are not of more frequent occurrence.

Cut Prices on School Supplies. I will sell my school books at over less than the school board prices. I have also greatly reduced prices on all kinds of school supplies, slates, pens, pencils, tablets etc. Rulers, erasers, book-cases, blotters, etc., given with each purchase. You can save money by calling on J. D. Crookwell, 411 Broadway.

Phonics at Manhattan beach. Round trip tickets from Omaha, including tent, ride, 50c; on sale at news stands at Millard and Murray hotels.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Gang of Pool Sellers Robbed by a Very Ingenious Scheme.

ENTIRE BANK'S RECEIPTS SECURED.

Man With Weak Eyes and a Little Money to Place On the Favorite Gets in His Work.

Ever since the races at the Driving park commenced a man has been hanging around the pool seller's table and paying close attention to the notices of the pool men by the fact that he had weak eyes, and his bodily infirmity induced them to allow him to come up closer to the money that lay on the table, rather closer than the majority of the patrons, whenever he wanted to bet. Yesterday afternoon C. F. Crawl was managing the pool department when he happened to come across this rocky looking specimen of humanity, who offered to bet with him. He took his bet, and each of the men laid a quarter down on the table, after which Crawl turned to watch the progress of the race. He was suddenly startled at receiving a sounding blow in the back from his friend. Thinking the man of the weak eyes had become rather more familiar on short acquaintance than he might have done, he turned around to see what he meant. The man had disappeared, and look in whichever way he might Crawl could find no trace of him. Suddenly one of the other pool sellers called out to Crawl: "Where's the money?" Crawl looked down at the table, and to his amazement saw the whole bank had disappeared as totally as had the man who had struck him. No one saw the operation, and there has been no clue to the thief obtained. It is supposed to have been the work of some one of the pool sellers, who are sure of, and that is that they are out to the extent of \$400 and something over.

Calligraph operators are taking the highest averages in civil service examinations.

A DAY FOR CHILDREN.

Free Excursions for Little Folks by the Boston Store.

The Boston Store excursion for children will take place today at 1 o'clock. All children under 14 years of age are invited to take part. The little folks are requested to meet at the Boston store at 1 o'clock, form in parade and march to the corner of Ninth street and Broadway, headed by the Young Men's Christian Association Drum corps, where motor trains will take them to Lake Manawa. Arriving at the lake there will be a series of prizes offered the little folks, the contest to take place at the ball park, as follows:

BOYS' RACES. 6 to 8 years of age—1, horse cart; 2, base ball; 3, bell reins. 8 to 10 years of age—1, train of cars; 2, dray wagon; 3, drum. 10 to 12 years of age—2, circumlocution game; 2, Billinda game; 3, base ball game. 12 to 14 years of age—1, printing press; 2, Halma game; 3, ring toss.

GIRLS' RACES. 6 to 8 years of age—1, Japanese burrito; 2, doll cradle; 3, Jack-in-the-box. 8 to 10 years of age—1, book, Mother Goose; 2, circus book; 3, bisque dog. 10 to 12 years of age—1, speaker's book; 2, cup and saucer; 3, Japanese parrot.

12 to 14 years of age—1, mush and milk set; 2, work basket; 3, pocketbook. Parents need have no cause for alarm, as the children will be in charge of a competent force of assistants, clerks of the store who will see that they are properly cared for. The entire afternoon will be pleasantly spent, and it will be a gala day for the children. Tickets will be furnished at the Boston store at 1 o'clock Saturday.

You should have as beautiful a house for a home as you can afford. You should have as beautiful a sight for the house as you can find. Everybody can afford a beautiful site for a home, while lots in Morningside are going at the present prices.

Morningside. Lots sold on monthly payments, low interest.

Read, Ponder, Now is the Time. 50c all wool stripe dress goods for 25c. 50c brilliantines, elegant line of shades, for 25c. A special line of Broadway plaids, checks, plains and novelties, goods worth from 30c to 40c, all in at 25c, at the Boston Store, Council Bluffs, Ia.

New goods, latest styles at the Louis' Masonic block.

Morningside. The prettiest residence addition ever planned in this part of the county.

Fixing County Taxes. The supervisors devoted a large part of yesterday's session to the fixing of tax levies for the coming year. The following was decided upon as the county tax: State fund, 2 mills; county and poor fund, 4 mills; bridge fund, 2 1/2 mills; school fund, 1 mill; insurance fund, 1 1/2 mills; extension of jail and court house fund, 4 mills; soldiers' fund, 1 mill; fire fund, 1 mill; district taxes were levied as follows for the Council Bluffs district: Teachers' fund, 6 1/2 mills; contingent fund, 4 1/2 mills; school house fund, 2 mills. J. A. Keller was re-elected to the position of auditor and engineer of the court house, at a yearly salary of \$1,400. J. M. Long was elected to succeed E. A. Conroy on the Soldiers' Relief commission. The petition of J. M. Holliday for the election of C. S. Hubbard as a position on the same commission was rejected on the ground that there was no vacancy. The auditor was instructed to draw a county warrant in favor of J. J. Siedman to pay to the county's share in the Blue Grass exhibit.

The growth of Morningside is sure and steady.

New fall goods, finest line in the city, just received at Reiter's the tailor's, 310 Broadway.

Swanson music company, 325 Broadway.

Morningside. Brick street pavement has been ordered in this addition.

Drs. Woodbury, dentists, 30 Pearl street, next to Grand hotel. Telephone 143. High grade work a specialty.

Criminal Assault Alleged. E. Mergel, a man who has been employed in making hay near Big Lake, was arrested yesterday afternoon charged with an attempt at a criminal assault on a 14-year-old girl who lives in that vicinity. The crime is alleged to have been committed yesterday morning, and as soon as the friends of the girl learned of it they telephoned to the police station. An officer went out and brought back Mergel, who was locked up in the city jail to await a hearing which will be given him this morning in police court.

A very small pill, but a very good one. De Witt's Little Early Risers.

A Card from Mr. Dale. OMAHA, Sept. 11.—To the Editor of THE BEE: In Council Bluffs news of last night's BEE notice you saw, regarding the action of the school board, with reference to the \$10,000 school bonds sold to me: "The mem-

bers of the board came to the conclusion a day or two ago that Dale was trying to play some sneaky game with them, as he did not seem nearly so anxious to get hold of the bonds as his exceedingly high bid for them indicated."

Will you kindly permit me to say: First, my bid was only a trifle over the bid of the party to whom they now sell the bonds. Second, the bid on which the sale was made to me was as follows: "For the \$10,000 per cent school bonds advertised by you to be sold this day, I hereby offer par and \$5, delivered in Chicago or New York, as I may direct, upon the proper papers being furnished and approved, showing said bonds to be legal in every particular."

On this bid the bonds were awarded to me, and, up to this writing, not one of the conditions named have been complied with. I am not in the habit of doing a "sneaky" business, as the purchases of bonds by me, both in Iowa and Nebraska, for several years past, testify. I bought the bonds in good faith and have stood ready to take them as agreed, whenever the conditions of purchase were complied with; that there has been bad faith manifested in this transaction, does not admit of a question, but it has not been on my part. Respectfully, JOHN DALE.

REPUBLICANS ORGANIZE.

Over Three Hundred Enter the New Political Organization.

The new republican headquarters in the Masonic temple were thrown open to the public last evening for the first time this year. All day long Messrs. B. S. Dawson and J. S. Stubbs were at work decorating for the occasion, and when the doors were opened in the evening the walls were very nicely draped in the national colors. The heavy rain interfered somewhat with the attendance, but in spite of the rain and the fact that the meeting had not been announced until yesterday morning, the hall was well filled. E. L. Shugart was appointed temporary chairman, and J. E. Harkness temporary secretary, after which the following committees were appointed: Committee on constitution and by-laws, J. M. Travner, William Arnd, M. J. Meyers; committee on organization, Dr. E. S. Thomas, Judge Walter L. Smith, A. S. Hazleton.

These committees were given until next Friday evening, September 15, to prepare papers to be passed through the house to get signers to the club, and in a short time the membership list will be ready for the issue of any republican club that has ever been organized in the city.

It was decided to push the work of getting members still faster, and a committee was appointed to circulate the papers in the various wards, consisting of the following gentlemen: First ward, E. S. Harkness; second ward, Theodore Guttart; third ward, William Arnd; fourth ward, George Hines; fifth ward, T. C. Dawson; sixth ward, L. M. Shugart. It was also decided to hold meetings of the club weekly, and the first meeting will be held next Friday evening.

Ex-Governor Johnson, who is favorably inclined in behalf of the workmen, instead of sending the whole country to the denunciation bow-wow, as is vividly pictured by the democratic papers.

At the close Colonel J. J. Steadman announced that Hon. William McKinley of Ohio would be at Omaha, September 23, and that the Burlington officials had offered to give a rate of one fare for the round trip (\$6), in case there should be 100 or more who would attend, furnishing the fare for a special train that would make no stops between the two cities. It was decided that the same committee which is circulating the membership lists through the various wards should also get up the party to go to Ottumwa. After giving ex-Governor Gear a vote of thanks the audience dispersed.

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Removal sale. Bargains in shoes. L. Kinnean has removed from 323 Broadway to No. 11 Pearl street.

Morningside. No house can be built in this addition to cost less than \$1,000.

Threw the Driver. A horse belonging to Dr. Snybert took fright and dashed down Broadway at a headlong pace yesterday afternoon, the buggy attached to him swaying from one side to the other and grazing a number of teams that occupied the street. William Budd was thrown out of the buggy on his head, receiving several severe cuts, and the driver, the horse was finally stopped a short distance below Seventh street.

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FOR SALE or Rent—Garden land with houses, by J. E. Rice, 101 Main st., Council Bluffs.

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